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McDonnell Douglas Corporation
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EPA I.D. Number MOD000818963

Dear Mr. Kaatman:

LETTER OF WARNING

On March 12, 1985, a representative of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) inspected the McDonnell-Douglas Corporation, St. Louis Tract I, facility to determine this facility's compliance with regulations written pursuant to Subtitle C of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA) and the hazardous waste facility permit issued to McDonnell-Douglas on August 1, 1984.

As a result of the inspection, and a review of the letter of response from McDonnell-Douglas, dated March 27, 1985, EPA has the following comments:

- (1) Maintaining job descriptions for hazardous waste related positions in Department 891C, as described in item (3) of the March 27, 1985 letter of response, will meet the requirements of the Permit, Section II, Part (E), Attachment III, Part (H-1a).
- (2) While not cited in the Notice of Violation (NOV) issued during the inspection, it was noted in the inspection report that the sump in storage area two was completely full of liquid, allowing any overflow to go directly to the sanitary sewer. The sump must be inspected and maintained on a regular basis to insure proper performance in accordance with the Permit, Section III, Part (G)(5).

It should be mentioned, that this deficiency is a repeat violation since it was also cited during the EPA compliance inspection on July 6, 1983, and addressed in the Letter of Warning dated September 27, 1983. A future violation of the same nature at McDonnell Douglas, Tract I, could result in additional enforcement action being taken by EPA.

CONCURRENCES

SYMBOL	AH/RCOM	SLW/RCOM	Chet/MJS	DAW/WSM			
SURNAME	<i>Hancock</i>	<i>Willis</i>	<i>Chet</i>	<i>DAW</i>			
DATE	<i>7/31/85</i>	<i>8/6/85</i>	<i>8/7</i>	<i>8/7</i>			

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Based on our review of the inspection report, the NOV issued during the inspection, and your response dated March 27, 1985, EPA requests McDonnell Douglas Corporation to submit to this office the following documentation or certification:

- (1) That the drain sump in the containment system of storage area two has been cleaned out and is inspected on a regular basis to insure that it is operable.

Please submit this information, within 15 days of receipt of this letter, to Alan K. Hancock, RCRA Compliance Branch, U.S. EPA, 726 Minnesota Avenue, Kansas City, Kansas 66101.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please call Mr. Hancock at 913/236-2891.

Sincerely yours,

David A. Wagoner
Director, Waste Management Division

cc: Art Groner
Missouri Department of Natural Resources